

# JOINT TASK FORCE - FULL-ACCOUNTING BOX 64044 CAMP H. M. SMITH, HAWAII 96861-4044

ກໍລະນີ 0925-0-01 ແລະ 02

### ການເລົ່າເລື່ອງ

ເນື່ອວັນທີ 24 ພະຈິກ 1967, ພັນຕີ ບະເລັນແດັນ ພີ. ໂຟລີ (Brendan P. Foley)

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ເຄື່ອງບົນຊະນິດ RF4-C ເຄື່ອງບົນຫມາບເລກ 65-0844 ໄດ້ບົນອອກປະຕິບັດງານວັດແຫກ ອຸນຮະໝູມບາມກາງຄືນຢູ່ແຂວງ Vinh Phu, ຫວຽດນາມ. ການຕິດຕໍ່ກັບເຄື່ອງບົນຫາງ ເຮດາເພື່ອສຸດໜ້າບນັ້ນ ໄດ້ເກີດຂຶ້ນໃນບໍລິເວນພິກັດ UF595790, ປະມານ 25 ກິໂລແມັດ ຜາງເຫນືອຂອງ ບໍລິຄັນ ແລະ 7 ກິໂລແມັດ ຫາງເຫນືອຂອງ ເມືອງຮວງ, ແຂວງບໍລິຄັນ. ໃນເນື່ອເຄື່ອງບົນບໍ່ໄດ້ກັບມາຕາມລາບການທີ່ກຳນົດໄວ້, ເຄື່ອງບົນຄົ້ນຫາ ກໍ່ໄດ້ບົນອອກຄົ້ນຫາ ຢູ່ຕາມເສັ້ນຫາງທີ່ຢູ່ໃນແຜນການນັ້ນ, ແຕ່ບໍ່ເຫັນເຄື່ອງບົນຫລືວ່າຈະມາຊິກຂອງເຄື່ອງບົນເລີບ.

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# BIOGRAPHIC/SITE REPORT AS OF 13 DECEMBER 1993

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REFNO: 0927-	O-01 (ACCNO	0383) BEDT		Status: Date St	(8) atus	DEAD BO assigne	DY NOT 1 d: 19 F	RECOVEREI eb 1978
Name: ABRAM	is, LEWIS HER	DEKI					•	
Nationality	AMERICAN	!Race	CAUCASIAN		Bloo	d Chit		
Nationality Service	MARINE CORPS	•	MALE			d type		
Grade	05	Hair	BROWN		Comp	lexion		
SSAN	_	Eves	HAZEL		Weap		#	
Serial No	DATA	Height	71 in /1.	80 mtrs	Weap	on No	#	
Birth date	17 Aug 1929	Weight	185 lb /	83.8 kg	Duty	pos	PILOT	
Home State	NEW JERSEY	Religi	on PROTES	TANT	PW C	amp	\$	
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Site Type: UTM:		(H560950						
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Folders Pas	sed: Sep 93	. Aug 87	Sep 85					
Investigati	ons: Oct 93	-						
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	BIOGRAPHIC INF	ORMATION ======	
REFNO: 0927-0-02 (A Name: HOLDEMAN, ROB		Status: (8) DEAD BO Date Status assigne	
Grade 02 SSAN Serial No	ORPS   Sex MALE   Hair BROWN   Eyes HAZEL   Height 70 in /1.  931   Weight 165 lb /   Religion PROTES	Blood type   Complexion   Weapon 78 mtrs   Weapon No 74.7 kg   Duty pos TANT   PW Camp	
	INCIDENT LOCATION (0)		
UTM: Lat/Long: Country: Military Region: Mission Province:	CRASH SITE 48QXH560950 204459N / 1062955E NORTH VIETNAM 3 HAI PHONG HAIPHONG VINH BAO 25 Nov 1967 0425L 3 Unknown location.		
Folders Passed: Sep Investigations: Oct Surveys: Oct 93 Vessey Case: NO Case type: DISCRE Survivability: (3)	PANCY	Y SUMMARY ======	
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Year	:: None i: PACKARD :: \$	Serial: 1526 Engine Type: J52P 1 Serial: 2 Serial:	8A
	SPECIAL CHARA	CIEK VEL	

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DURING THE EXISTENCE OF JCRC, THE HOSTILE THREAT IN THE AREA PRECLUDED ANY VISITS TO OR GROUND INSPECTIONS OF THE SITES INVOLVED IN THIS CASE. LTC ABRAMS AND 1LT HODLEMAN ARE CURRENTLY CARRIED IN THE PRESUMPTIVE STATUS OF DEAD, BODY NOT RECOVERED.

### === SUBSEQUENT INFORMATION ===

#### 12 March 1984

SOURCE REPORTS THE SHOOT DOWN OF A U.S. JET AIRCRAFT DURING THE MID-1960'S IN THE VICINITY OF XH 684 999. THIS POSSIBLY CORRELATES TO LTC LEWIS H. ABRAMS AND 1LT ROBERT E. HOLDERMAN. (REF 3)

### 24 February 1993

SOURCE PROVIDED HEARSAY INFORMATION CONCERNING SEVEN ALLEGED UNACCOUNTED FOR PERSONNEL WHO WERE BEING HELD IN VIETNAM. SOURCE CORRECTLY PROVIDED PERSONAL INFORMATION DATA PERTAINING TO "LEWIS HERBERT ABRAMS." THE INFORMATION IS IDENTICAL TO THE ENTRY PERTAINING TO LIEUTENANT COLONEL ABRAMS CONTAINED IN THE DIA ROSTER OF U.S. PERSONNEL,

SOUTHEAST ASIA. THE OTHER NAMES AND SERVICE NUMBERS PROVIDED DO NOT CORRELATE WITH ANY UNACCOUNTED FOR PERSONNEL. (REF 16)

### 12 March 1984

SOURCE REPORTS THE SHOOT DOWN OF A U.S. JET AIRCRAFT AND THE BAIL OUT OF THE PILOT IN THE VICINITY OF XJ 764 106. THIS POSSIBLY CORRELATES TO LTC LEWIS H. ABRAMS AND 1LT ROBERT E. HOLDEMAN. (REF 4)

### 22 August 1988

ON 6 APRIL 1988 THE SRV RETURNED THE ID CARD OF LTC ABRAMS WITH A QUANTITY OF REMAINS. THE REMAINS AND ID CARD WERE FOUND IN HAIPHONG PROVINCE. (REF 7)

### 11 April 1991

A SOURCE PROVIDED FIRSTHAND INFORMATION CONCERNING THE SHOOTDOWN OF AN AIRCRAFT AND BURIAL OF THE TWO PILOTS VIC. XJ648032. THE GENERAL LOCATION, INCIDENT TIME, AND RANKS OF THE CREWMEMBERS CORRELATE TO REFNO 0927. THIS CORRELATION IS LIMITED TO POSSIBLE BECAUSE AN EXACT CRASH SITE LOCATION FOR THIS INCIDENT HAS NOT BEEN ESTABLISHED. (REF 8)

#### 2 October 1991

THIS REPORT PROVIDED NAME, RANK, SERVICE AND DATE OF LOSS OF LEWIS H. ABRAMS. THIS CORRELATION IS BASED ON NAME ASSOCIATION ONLY. (REF 9)

### 27 November 1991

SOURCE PROVIDED IDENTIFICATION MEDIA DATA ON LTC LEWIS H. ABRAMS. THIS CORRELATION IS BASED ON IDENTIFICATION MEDIA DATA ONLY. (REF 10)

#### 27 October 1992

SOURCE PROVIDED HEARSAY ACCOUNT OF THE DISCOVERY OF AN AIRCRAFT CRASH SITE AND PARTIAL REMAINS IN A RICE PADDY IN THE VICINITY OF GC XJ598028 IN AN LAO DISTRICT, HAIPHONG MUNICIPALITY. THE REPORTED LOCATION OF THE CRASH SITE POSSIBLY CORRELATES TO REFNO 0927. (REF 12)

#### 3 November 1992

GERMAN NATIONAL PROVIDED HEARSAY ACCOUNT CONCERNING AN ALLEGED LIVE AMERICAN POW AND THREE SETS OF REMAINS. SOURCE HANDCARRIED A LETTER FROM VIETNAMESE NATIONALS WHICH CONTAINED VERY SPECIFIC IDENTIFICATION DATA

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PERTAINING TO LIEUTENANT COLONEL ABRAMS. DATA INCLUDED COLONEL ABRAMS' CORRECT FULL NAME, PAY GRADE, MISSION DATE, AND CORRECT AIRCRAFT TYPE. THIS INFORMATION IS ALMOST IDENTICAL TO THE REFNO ENTRY CONTAINED IN THE DIA/POW/MIA DATA BASE. THE OTHER INFORMATION PROVIDED DOES NOT CORRELATE TO ANY UNACCOUNTED FOR PERSONNEL. (REF 13)

#### 30 October 1992

SOURCE PROVIDED INFORMATION MEDIA DATA ASSOCIATED WITH COLONEL ABRAMS. THE INFORMATION IS IDENTICAL IN FORMAT TO DATA CONTAINED IN THE DIA UNCLASSIFIED ROSTER OF U.S. PERSONNEL, SOUTHEAST ASIA. THE SOURCE HEARSAY INFORMATION ALLEGING THAT UNNAMED PERSONS IN VIETNAM WERE HOLDING THE REMAINS OF SIX UNACCOUNTED FOR PERSONNEL. SOURCE ALSO ALLEGED THAT SIX AMERICAN POWS WERE BEING HELD IN AN UNDERGROUND COMPLEX SOMEWHERE IN BINH DINH PROVINCE. WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE INFORMATION MEDIA DATA ASSOCIATED WITH REFNOS 0005 AND 0927, THE OTHER INFORMATION, NAMES AND SERVICE NUMBERS PROVIDED DO NOT CORRELATE WITH DATA CONTAINED IN JTF-FA FILES. (REF 14)

#### 4 December 1992

SOURCE PROVIDED HEARSAY INFORMATION PERTAINING TO SIX AMERICAN POW'S ALLEGEDLY BEING HELD IN VIETNAM, AS WELL AS INFORMATION ON THE ALLEGED REMAINS OF SIX UNACCOUNTED FOR INDIVIDUALS. SOURCE CORRECTLY PROVIDED IDENTIFICATION MEDIA DATA ASSOCIATED WITH GERALD MACK BIBER (REFNO 0005) AND LEWIS HERBERT ABRAMS (REFNO 0927). THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IS IDENTICAL TO ENTRIES PERTAINING TO ABRAMS AND BIBER CONTAINED IN DIA'S UNCLASSIFIED ROSTER OF U.S. PERSONNEL, SOUTHEAST ASIA. THE OTHER NAMES AND SERVICE NUMBERS PROVIDED BY THE SOURCE DO NOT CORRELATE TO ANY UNACCOUNTED FOR PERSONNEL. (REF 14)

SOURCE PROVIDED HEARSAY INFORMATION CONCERING AN AMERICAN POW ALLEGEDLY BEING HELD PRISONER IN VIETNAM, IDENTIFICATION MEDIA DATA FOR TWO OTHER AMERICANS KILLED IN VIETNAM, AND INFORMATION ABOUT THE ALLEGED REMAINS OF AN UNACCOUNTED FOR INDIVIDUAL. SOURCE CORRECTLY PROVIDED IDENTIFICATION DATA PERTAINING TO LEWIS HERBERT ABRAMS. INFORMATION IS IDENTICAL TO THE ENTRY PERTAINING TO ABRAMS CONTAINED IN THE DIA'S UNCLASSIFIED ROSTER OF U.S. PERSONNEL, SOUTHEAST ASIA, THE OTHER NAMES AND NUMBERS PROVIDED BY THE SOURCE DO NOT CORRELATE TO ANY UNACCOUNTED FOR PERSONNEL. (REF 15)

### 20 May 1993

SOURCE PROVIDED PHOTOCOPIES OF IDENTIFICATION MEDIA DATA AND FINGER PRINTS ALLEGEDLY RELATING TO LIEUTENANT COLONEL ABRAMS. SOURCE CLAIMED COLONEL ABRAMS WAS ALIVE, BUT MISSING A HAND. THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IS IDENTICAL TO DATA CONTAINED IN THE DIA UNCLASSIFIED ROSTER OF U.S. PERSONNEL, SOUTHEAST ASIA. (REF 17)

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### 14 July 1993

SOURCE PROVIDED HEARSAY INFORMATION CONCERNING TWO ALLEGED AMERICAN POW'S. SOURCE CORRECTLY PROVIDED PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION DATA PERTAINING TO "LEWIS ABRAMS" (REFNO 0927). THE INFORMATION IS SIMILAR IN FORMAT TO ENTRIES CONTAINED IN THE DIA UNCLASSIFIED ROSTER OF U.S. PERSONNEL, SOUTHEAST ASIA. (REF 18)

### === REFERENCES ===

### 12 March 1984

, 5TH CIT, HQ III MAF, 18 DEC 67. <2> RPT REFERENCES: <1> RPT SUMMARY OF INCIDENT, UNDATED. <3> REFCON DATA BASE 83-040. <4> TALKING POINT PASSED DURING 1 - 3 83-041. <5> REFCON DATA BASE TALKING POINTS PASSED DURING 25-28 JUNE 1988 TECHNICAL MEETING. <6> JCRC BKK MSG 071007Z APR 88. <8> JULY 1988 TECHNICAL MEETING. <7> .90-093, 20 JUNE 1990. <9> IIR 6 024 0735 91, USDAO BANGKOK TH, 191059Z SEP 91. <10> 91-286/161115Z SEP 91. <11> CDR JCRC, BARBERS PT. HI, 182202Z SEP 91. <12> CJTFFA DET ONE RPT HK91-077, 5 AUG 92. <13> USDAO BANGKOK MSG IIR 6 024 0513 92, 161033Z SEP 92. <14> IIR 6 872 0367 91, USDAO OSLO NO, 131446Z SEP 91. <15> IIR 6 024 0014 92, USDAO BANGKOK TH, 040952Z NOV 91. <16> IIR 6 024 0342 93, USDAO BANGKOK, 130049Z JAN 93. <17> JTF-FA RPT 92-004, CJTF-FA HONOLULU HI, 091903Z MAR 93. <18> CJTFFA DET FOUR 151022Z JUN 93, RPT 930614-002. <19> CDR JTF-FA HONOLULU HI//J2// DTG 211122Z SEP 93. <20> CJTFFA DET ONE BANGKOK TH, 200247Z NOV 93.

### NEGOTIATION ACTIONS

### 28 September 1985

A NEGOTIATION FOLER ON LEWIS H. ABRAMS AND ROBERT E. HOLDEMAN WAS PASSED TO THE SRV DURING THE 25-28 SEP 1985 JCRC TECHNICAL MEETING IN HANOI.

### 3 December 1987

A CASE NARRATIVE PERTAINING TO BOTH PARTIES WAS PASSED BY JCRC ON 4 AUG 87 TO THE SRV EMBASSY IN BANGKOK PURSUANT TO AGREEMENTS REACHED BETWEEN GENERAL VESSEY AND SRV FOREIGN MINISTER NGUYEN CO THACH.

### 4 August 1988

JCRC DISCUSSED THIS CASE WITH THE VNOSMP DURING THE 1 - 3 JUNE 1988 AND 25 - 28 JULY 1988 TECHNICAL MEETINGS IN HANOI. (REF 5 & 6)

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### 18 October 1993

CASE NARRATIVE FOR CASE 0927-0-01 AND 0927-0-02 WAS PASSED TO OFFICIALS OF THE VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT DURING THE 29 SEP 93 COORDINATION MEETING.

### === ASSOCIATED INDIVIDUALS ===

### 11 August 1975

ASSOCIATED INDIVIDUALS: LEWIS H. ABRAMS 0927-0-01, AND ROBERT E. HOLDEMAN 0927-0-02.

### === MAJOR COORDINATE CHANGE ===

### 30 August 1975

INCIDENT/LAST KNOWN LOCATION CHANGED FROM YH092125 (OW) TO XH560950 (VN.3.19) BASED ON LTR. 11TH CIT. FMFPAC, UNDATED, SUBJ: ABRAMS, LEWIS HERBERT.

### === JOINT INVESTIGATION, SURVEY OR EXCAVATION ===

### 1 December 1993

ON 7 NOV 93, IE1 TRAVELED TO DUNG TIEN VILLAGE, VINH BAO DISTRICT, HAI PHONG PROVINCE TO INVESTIGATE CASE 0927. THE TEAM INTERVIEWED THREE WITNESSES WHO PROVIDED INFORMATION NOT ASSOCIATED WITH THIS CASE. THE THREE WITNESSES PROVIDED FIRST-HAND INFORMATION TO AN UNCORRELATED INCIDENT THAT OCCURRED IN 1966. THE TEAM ALSO TRAVELED TO THE INCIDENT LOCATION AND OBSERVED NO EVIDENCE OF REMAINS, PERSONAL EFFECTS OR EQUIPMENT. ON 8 NOV 93, THE TEAM TRAVELED TO BAC HA VILLAGE, KIEN AN DISTRICT, HAI PHONG PROVINCE TO CONTINUE THE INVESTIGATION OF CASE 0927. THE TEAM VISITED AN ALLEGED CRASH SITE PROBABLY ASSOCIATED WITH THIS CASE. THE TEAM INTERVIEWED THE LONG TIME VILLAGE CHAIRMAN WHO PROVIDED INFORMATION ASSOCIATED WITH THIS CASE AND TURNED OVER TO THE JOINT TEAM 13 BONE FRAGMENTS AND MATERIAL EVIDENCE. THIS OFFICIAL INDICATED HIS VILLAGE HAD PREVIOUSLY TURNED OVER A SMALL AMOUNT OF REMAINS TO THE VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT. THESE REMAINS ARE CURRENTLY ON HOLD AT THE U.S. ARMY CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY, HAWAII. THESE REMAINS ARE INSUFFICIENT FOR IDENTIFICATION. THE TEAM ALSO INTERVIEWED A LOCAL RESIDENT WHO SHOWED THE TEAM THE ALLEGED CRASH SITE. REMAINS HAVE ALLEGEDLY BEEN FOUND AT THIS SITE OVER A NUMBER OF YEARS. (REF 20)

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# REPATRIATION ACTIONS OR STATUS CHANGES

### 1 October 1990

ANALYSIS OF REMAINS RECEIVED DURING 6 APR 88 REPATRIATION: REMAINS INSUFFICIENT FOR IDENTIFICATION. CILHI CAN NEITHER RECOMMEND NOR RULE OUT IDENTIFICATION OF REMAINS AS LEWIS H. ABRAMS.

# === ARCHIVAL RESEARCH INFORMATION ===

### 23 September 1993

SRV DOCUMENT PROVIDED ON 17 NOV 92, TITLED "AMERICAN AIRCRAFT STATISTICS SHOT DOWN DURING THE 3 YEARS FROM 65-67 IN HAI PHONG" POSSIBLY CORRELATES TO REFNO 0927. LINE ENTRY #20 POSSIBLY CORRELATES BASED ON INCIDENT DATE AND LOCATION. (REF 19)

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REFNO: 0927-0-01 (ACCNO 0383) Name: ABRAMS, LEWIS HERBERT Status: (8) DEAD BODY NOT RECOVERED Date Status assigned: 19 Feb 1978
Nationality AMERICAN Service MARINE CORPS Grade O5 SSAN DATA Serial No 053788 Birth date 17 Aug 1929 Home State NEW JERSEY  Race CAUCASIAN Sex MALE Hair BROWN Eyes HAZEL Height 71 in /1.80 mtrs Weight 185 lb / 83.8 kg Religion PROTESTANT  Sex MALE Hair BROWN Eyes HAZEL Height 71 in /1.80 mtrs Weapon No # Duty pos PILOT PW Camp \$
INCIDENT LOCATION (0)
Site Type: CRASH SITE  UTM: 48QXH560950  Lat/Long: 204459N / 1062955E  Country: NORTH VIETNAM  Military Region: 3  Mission Province: HAI PHONG  (formerly): HAIPHONG  Mission District: VINH BAO  Mission Date: 25 Nov 1967 0425L  Mission Category: 3  Local Analysis: Unknown location.
Remains Repatriated: YES Folders Passed: Sep 93, Aug 87, Sep 85 Investigations: Oct 93 Surveys: Oct 93 Vessey Case: NO Case type: DISCREPANCY Survivability: (3) Unknown
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Vehicle Type: A6A Serial: 152612 Crash Type: None Engine Type: J52P8A Call Sign: PACKARD 1 Serial: Year: \$ 2 Serial:
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REFNO: 0927-0-02 (ACNAME: HOLDEMAN, ROBI	CCNO 0448) ERT EUGENE	Status: (8) DE Date Status as	AD BODY NOT RECOVERED signed: 22 Feb 1978
Nationality AMERICAN Service MARINE Co Grade 02 SSAN DATA Serial No 096977 Birth date 30 Oct 19 Home State INDIANA	ORPS   Sex   MALE   Hair   BROWN   Eyes   HAZEL	78 mtrs Weapon 74.7 kg Duty p TANT PW Cam	type A + exion TAN # No # os BOMB/NAV
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Nationality AMERICAN Service MARINE CORPS Grade O5 SSAN OATA Serial No 053788 Birth date 17 Aug 1929 Home State NEW JERSEY  Race CAUCASIAN Sex MALE Sex MALE Hair BROWN Eyes HAZEL Height 71 in /1.80 mtrs Weapon # Weapon No # Weapon No # Duty pos PILOT PW Camp \$
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INCIDENT LOCATION (0)
Site Type: CRASH SITE  UTM: 48QXH560950  Lat/Long: 204459N / 1062955E  Country: NORTH VIETNAM  Military Region: 3  Mission Province: HAI PHONG
Remains Repatriated: YES Folders Passed: Sep 93, Aug 87, Sep 85 Investigations: Oct 93 Surveys: Oct 93 Vessey Case: NO Case type: DISCREPANCY Survivability: (3) Unknown
Vehicle Type: A6A Serial: 152612 Crash Type: None Engine Type: J52P8A Call Sign: PACKARD 1 Serial:
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Nationality AMERICAN Service MARINE OF Grade O2 SSAN DATA Serial No 096977 Birth date 30 Oct 1 Home State INDIANA	CORPS   Sex MALE   Hair BROWN   Eyes HAZEL   Height 70 in /1.   1931   Weight 165 lb / Religion PROTES	Blood ty Complex: Weapon 78 mtrs Weapon I 74.7 kg Duty pos TANT PW Camp	/pe A + ion TAN # No # s BOMB/NAV
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HAD PREVIOUSLY TURNED OVER A SMALL AMOUNT OF REMAINS TO THE VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT. THESE REMAINS ARE CURRENTLY ON HOLD AT THE U.S. ARMY CENTRAL IDENTIFICATION LABORATORY, HAWAII. THESE REMAINS ARE INSUFFICIENT FOR IDENTIFICATION. THE TEAM ALSO INTERVIEWED A LOCAL RESIDENT WHO SHOWED THE TEAM THE ALLEGED CRASH SITE. REMAINS HAVE ALLEGEDLY BEEN FOUND AT THIS SITE OVER A NUMBER OF YEARS. (REF 20)

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REFNO: 0927 Name: ABRA	-0-01 (AC	CNO 0383) HERBERT	Status Date St	: (8) DEAD BO tatus assigno	ODY NOT RECOVERED ed: 19 Feb 1978
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Status: (8) DEAD BODY NOT RECOVERED REFNO: 0927-0-02 (ACCNO 0448) Date Status assigned: 22 Feb 1978 Name: HOLDEMAN, ROBERT EUGENE |Blood Chit~ # CAUCASIAN Nationality AMERICAN Race Blood type A + MALE MARINE CORPS | Sex Service Complexion TAN BROWN Hair 02 Grade Weapon HAZEL Eves DATA Height 70 in /1.78 mtrs | Weapon No SSAN 096977 Serial No Weight 165 lb / 74.7 kg Duty pos BOMB/NAV Birth date 30 Oct 1931 Religion PROTESTANT PW Camp Home State INDIANA INCIDENT LOCATION (0) CRASH SITE Site Type: 48QXH560950 UTM: 204459N / 1062955E Lat/Long: NORTH VIETNAM Country: 3 Military Region: HAI PHONG Mission Province: HAIPHONG (formerly): VINH BAO Mission District: 25 Nov 1967 0425L Mission Date: Mission Category: 3 Unknown location. Local Analysis: Folders Passed: Sep 93, Aug 87, Sep 85 Investigations: Oct 93 Surveys: Oct 93 Vessey Case: NO DISCREPANCY Case type: Survivability: (3) Unknown Serial: 152612 Vehicle Type: A6A Engine Type: J52P8A Crash Type: None 1 Serial: Call Sign: PACKARD 2 Serial: Year: \$  CASE: 0927

### === CIRCUMSTANCES OF LOSS ===

### 11 August 1975

ON 25 NOVEMBER 1967, LTC LEWIS H. ABRAMS, PILOT, AND 1LT ROBERT E. HOLDEMAN, BOMBARDIER/NAVIGATOR, WERE CREWMEN OF AN A6A (BUNO 15-2612) AIRCRAFT WHICH DEPARTED DA NANG, RVN AT 0340 HRS ON A SINGLE AIRCRAFT NIGHT STRIKE MISSION AGAINST THE KIEN AN AIRFIELD, HAIPHONG, NVN. LTC ABRAMS' COAST-IN TIME WAS SCHEDULED TO BE AT 0426 HRS. HOWEVER, AT 0415 HRS HE CALLED AND REPORTED THAT HE WOULD BE SIX MINUTES EARLY. THE ELECTRONIC COUNTERMEASURES (ECM) AIRCRAFT INDICATED THAT DURING THEIR TARGET BRIEF LTC ABRAMS WAS INSTRUCTED TO CALL "EXECUTE" AT GRID COORDINATES (GC) YH 092 125.

THE ECM AIRCRAFT REPORTED THE CALL WAS NOT MADE. HOWEVER, ANOTHER CONTROL STATION INDICATED THAT LTC ABRAMS' DID MAKE THE CALL AT 0425 HRS. THE ECM AIRCRAFT REMAINED ON STATION UNTIL 0457 HRS WITH NO FURTHER CONTACT WITH LTC ABRAMS. THE ECM AIRCRAFT REPORTED THAT NO ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY (AAA) OR SAM FIRINGS WERE OBSERVED DURING THE PERIOD THAT THEY WERE IN THÈIR ECM ORBIT, BASED ON THE PROPOSED TRACK FOR THE TARGET RUN AND THE AREA OF AAA THREAT, LTC ABRAM'S AIRCRAFT COULD POSSIBLY BE DOWN IN THE VICINITY OF GRID COORDINATES (GC) XH 560 950.

ON 25 NOVEMBER 1967, A REPORT WAS RECEIVED THAT A RADIO PEKING SHORT WAVE BROADCAST HAD STATED THAT A MARINE INTRUDER (A6A) WAS SHOT DOWN IN THE VICINITY OF HAIPHONG. NO MENTION OF THE CREW WAS MADE. (REF 1 & 2)

DURING THE EXISTENCE OF JCRC, THE HOSTILE THREAT IN THE AREA PRECLUDED ANY VISITS TO OR GROUND INSPECTIONS OF THE SITES INVOLVED IN THIS CASE. LTC ABRAMS AND 1LT HODLEMAN ARE CURRENTLY CARRIED IN THE PRESUMPTIVE STATUS OF DEAD, BODY NOT RECOVERED.

### === SUBSEQUENT INFORMATION ===

### 12 March 1984

SOURCE REPORTS THE SHOOT DOWN OF A U.S. JET AIRCRAFT DURING THE MID-1960'S IN THE VICINITY OF XH 684 999. THIS POSSIBLY CORRELATES TO LTC LEWIS H. ABRAMS AND 1LT ROBERT E. HOLDERMAN. (REF 3)

### 24 February 1993

SOURCE PROVIDED HEARSAY INFORMATION CONCERNING SEVEN ALLEGED UNACCOUNTED FOR PERSONNEL WHO WERE BEING HELD IN VIETNAM. SOURCE CORRECTLY PROVIDED PERSONAL INFORMATION DATA PERTAINING TO "LEWIS HERBERT ABRAMS." THE INFORMATION IS IDENTICAL TO THE ENTRY PERTAINING TO LIEUTENANT COLONEL ABRAMS CONTAINED IN THE DIA ROSTER OF U.S. PERSONNEL,

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SOUTHEAST ASIA. THE OTHER NAMES AND SERVICE NUMBERS PROVIDED DO NOT CORRELATE WITH ANY UNACCOUNTED FOR PERSONNEL. (REF 16)

### 12 March 1984

SOURCE REPORTS THE SHOOT DOWN OF A U.S. JET AIRCRAFT AND THE BAIL OUT OF THE PILOT IN THE VICINITY OF XJ 764 106. THIS POSSIBLY CORRELATES TO LTC LEWIS H. ABRAMS AND 1LT ROBERT E. HOLDEMAN. (REF 4)

### 22 August 1988

ON 6 APRIL 1988 THE SRV RETURNED THE ID CARD OF LTC ABRAMS WITH A QUANTITY OF REMAINS. THE REMAINS AND ID CARD WERE FOUND IN HAIPHONG PROVINCE. (REF 7)

### 11 April 1991

A SOURCE PROVIDED FIRSTHAND INFORMATION CONCERNING THE SHOOTDOWN OF AN AIRCRAFT AND BURIAL OF THE TWO PILOTS VIC. XJ648032. THE GENERAL LOCATION, INCIDENT TIME, AND RANKS OF THE CREWMEMBERS CORRELATE TO REFNO 0927. THIS CORRELATION IS LIMITED TO POSSIBLE BECAUSE AN EXACT CRASH SITE LOCATION FOR THIS INCIDENT HAS NOT BEEN ESTABLISHED. (REF 8)

### 2 October 1991

THIS REPORT PROVIDED NAME, RANK, SERVICE AND DATE OF LOSS OF LEWIS H. ABRAMS. THIS CORRELATION IS BASED ON NAME ASSOCIATION ONLY. (REF 9)

### 27 November 1991

SOURCE PROVIDED IDENTIFICATION MEDIA DATA ON LTC LEWIS H. ABRAMS. THIS CORRELATION IS BASED ON IDENTIFICATION MEDIA DATA ONLY. (REF 10)

### 27 October 1992

SOURCE PROVIDED HEARSAY ACCOUNT OF THE DISCOVERY OF AN AIRCRAFT CRASH SITE AND PARTIAL REMAINS IN A RICE PADDY IN THE VICINITY OF GC XJ598028 IN AN LAO DISTRICT, HAIPHONG MUNICIPALITY. THE REPORTED LOCATION OF THE CRASH SITE POSSIBLY CORRELATES TO REFNO 0927. (REF 12)

### 3 November 1992

GERMAN NATIONAL PROVIDED HEARSAY ACCOUNT CONCERNING AN ALLEGED LIVE AMERICAN POW AND THREE SETS OF REMAINS. SOURCE HANDCARRIED A LETTER FROM VIETNAMESE NATIONALS WHICH CONTAINED VERY SPECIFIC IDENTIFICATION DATA

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PERTAINING TO LIEUTENANT COLONEL ABRAMS. DATA INCLUDED COLONEL ABRAMS' CORRECT FULL NAME, PAY GRADE, MISSION DATE, AND CORRECT AIRCRAFT TYPE. THIS INFORMATION IS ALMOST IDENTICAL TO THE REFNO ENTRY CONTAINED IN THE DIA/POW/MIA DATA BASE. THE OTHER INFORMATION PROVIDED DOES NOT CORRELATE TO ANY UNACCOUNTED FOR PERSONNEL. (REF 13)

### 30 October 1992

SOURCE PROVIDED INFORMATION MEDIA DATA ASSOCIATED WITH COLONEL ABRAMS. THE INFORMATION IS IDENTICAL IN FORMAT TO DATA CONTAINED IN THE DIA UNCLASSIFIED ROSTER OF U.S. PERSONNEL, SOUTHEAST ASIA. THE SOURCE HEARSAY INFORMATION ALLEGING THAT UNNAMED PERSONS IN VIETNAM WERE HOLDING THE REMAINS OF SIX UNACCOUNTED FOR PERSONNEL. SOURCE ALSO ALLEGED THAT SIX AMERICAN POWS WERE BEING HELD IN AN UNDERGROUND COMPLEX SOMEWHERE IN BINH DINH PROVINCE. WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE INFORMATION MEDIA DATA ASSOCIATED WITH REFNOS 0005 AND 0927, THE OTHER INFORMATION, NAMES AND SERVICE NUMBERS PROVIDED DO NOT CORRELATE WITH DATA CONTAINED IN JTF-FA FILES. (REF 14)

### 4 December 1992

SOURCE PROVIDED HEARSAY INFORMATION PERTAINING TO SIX AMERICAN POW'S ALLEGEDLY BEING HELD IN VIETNAM, AS WELL AS INFORMATION ON THE ALLEGED REMAINS OF SIX UNACCOUNTED FOR INDIVIDUALS. SOURCE CORRECTLY PROVIDED IDENTIFICATION MEDIA DATA ASSOCIATED WITH GERALD MACK BIBER (REFNO 0005) AND LEWIS HERBERT ABRAMS (REFNO 0927). THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IS IDENTICAL TO ENTRIES PERTAINING TO ABRAMS AND BIBER CONTAINED IN DIA'S UNCLASSIFIED ROSTER OF U.S. PERSONNEL, SOUTHEAST ASIA. THE OTHER NAMES AND SERVICE NUMBERS PROVIDED BY THE SOURCE DO NOT CORRELATE TO ANY UNACCOUNTED FOR PERSONNEL. (REF 14)

SOURCE PROVIDED HEARSAY INFORMATION CONCERING AN AMERICAN POW ALLEGEDLY BEING HELD PRISONER IN VIETNAM, IDENTIFICATION MEDIA DATA FOR TWO OTHER AMERICANS KILLED IN VIETNAM, AND INFORMATION ABOUT THE ALLEGED REMAINS OF AN UNACCOUNTED FOR INDIVIDUAL. SOURCE CORRECTLY PROVIDED IDENTIFICATION DATA PERTAINING TO LEWIS HERBERT ABRAMS. INFORMATION IS IDENTICAL TO THE ENTRY PERTAINING TO ABRAMS CONTAINED IN THE DIA'S UNCLASSIFIED ROSTER OF U.S. PERSONNEL, SOUTHEAST ASIA, THE OTHER NAMES AND NUMBERS PROVIDED BY THE SOURCE DO NOT CORRELATE TO ANY UNACCOUNTED FOR PERSONNEL. (REF 15)

### 20 May 1993

SOURCE PROVIDED PHOTOCOPIES OF IDENTIFICATION MEDIA DATA AND FINGER PRINTS ALLEGEDLY RELATING TO LIEUTENANT COLONEL ABRAMS. SOURCE CLAIMED COLONEL ABRAMS WAS ALIVE, BUT MISSING A HAND. THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IS IDENTICAL TO DATA CONTAINED IN THE DIA UNCLASSIFIED ROSTER OF U.S. PERSONNEL, SOUTHEAST ASIA. (REF 17)

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### 14 July 1993

SOURCE PROVIDED HEARSAY INFORMATION CONCERNING TWO ALLEGED AMERICAN POW'S. SOURCE CORRECTLY PROVIDED PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION DATA PERTAINING TO "LEWIS ABRAMS" (REFNO 0927). THE INFORMATION IS SIMILAR IN FORMAT TO ENTRIES CONTAINED IN THE DIA UNCLASSIFIED ROSTER OF U.S. PERSONNEL, SOUTHEAST ASIA. (REF 18)

#### 18 March 1994

THIS CORRELATION IS BASED ON NAME ASSOCIATION ONLY. SOURCE SENT DET TWO A LETTER WHICH INDICATED THAT HE WAS HOLDING THE REMAINS AND IDENTIFICATION MEDIA ASSOCIATED WITH FOUR UNACCOUNTED FOR U.S. SERVICEMEN. ONE OF THE NAMES IN THE LETTER WAS THAT OF "ABRAMS LEWIS HERBERT." (REF 23)

### 26 April 1994

SOURCE PROVIDED THE CORRECT NAME AND INCIDENT YEAR FOR LTC ABRAMS. (REF 24)

#### === REFERENCES ===

#### 12 March 1984

5TH CIT, HQ III MAF, 18 DEC 67. <2> RPT REFERENCES: <1> RPT SUMMARY OF INCIDENT, UNDATED. <3> REFCON DATA BASE 83-040. <4> TALKING POINT PASSED DURING 1 - 3 83-041. <5> REFCON DATA BASE TALKING POINTS PASSED DURING 25-28 JUNE 1988 TECHNICAL MEETING. <6> JULY 1988 TECHNICAL MEETING. <7> JCRC BKK MSG 071007Z APR 88. <8> 90-093, 20 JUNE 1990. <9> IIR 6 024 0735 91, USDAO BANGKOK TH, 191059Z SEP 91. <10> 91-286/161115Z SEP 91. <11> CDR JCRC, BARBERS PT. HI, 182202Z SEP 91. <12> CJTFFA DET ONE RPT '91-077, 5 AUG 92. <13> USDAO BANGKOK MSG IIR 6 024 0513 92, 161033Z SEP 92. <14> IIR 6 872 0367 91, USDAO OSLO NO, 131446Z SEP 91. <15> IIR 6 024 0014 92, USDAO BANGKOK TH, 040952Z NOV 91. <16> IIR 6 024 0342 93, USDAO BANGKOK, 130049Z JAN 93. <17> JTF-FA RPT 92-004, CJTF-FA HONOLULU HI, 091903Z MAR 93. <18> CJTFFA DET FOUR 151022Z JUN 93, RPT 930614-002. <19> CDR JTF-FA HONOLULU HI//J2// DTG 211122Z SEP 93. <20> CJTFFA DET ONE BANGKOK TH, 200247Z NOV 93. <21> CDR JTF-FA//J2 270922Z JAN 94. <22> CDR, JTF-FA 181142Z FEB 94. <23> JTF-FA REPORT VN93-015, 23 SEP 93. <24> VN94-007, 7 APRIL 1994.

### === NEGOTIATION ACTIONS ===

### 28 September 1985

A NEGOTIATION FOLER ON LEWIS H. ABRAMS AND ROBERT E. HOLDEMAN WAS

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PASSED TO THE SRV DURING THE 25-28 SEP 1985 JCRC TECHNICAL MEETING IN HANOI.

#### 3 December 1987

A CASE NARRATIVE PERTAINING TO BOTH PARTIES WAS PASSED BY JCRC ON 4 AUG 87 TO THE SRV EMBASSY IN BANGKOK PURSUANT TO AGREEMENTS REACHED BETWEEN GENERAL VESSEY AND SRV FOREIGN MINISTER NGUYEN CO THACH.

### 4 August 1988

JCRC DISCUSSED THIS CASE WITH THE VNOSMP DURING THE 1 - 3 JUNE 1988 AND 25 - 28 JULY 1988 TECHNICAL MEETINGS IN HANOI. (REF 5 & 6)

#### 18 October 1993

CASE NARRATIVE FOR CASE 0927-0-01 AND 0927-0-02 WAS PASSED TO OFFICIALS OF THE VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT DURING THE 29 SEP 93 COORDINATION MEETING.

### === ASSOCIATED INDIVIDUALS ===

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ASSOCIATED INDIVIDUALS: LEWIS H. ABRAMS 0927-0-01, AND ROBERT E. HOLDEMAN 0927-0-02.

### === MAJOR COORDINATE CHANGE ===

### 30 August 1975

INCIDENT/LAST KNOWN LOCATION CHANGED FROM YH092125 (OW) TO XH560950 (VN.3.19) BASED ON LTR. 11TH CIT. FMFPAC, UNDATED, SUBJ: ABRAMS, LEWIS HERBERT.

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CASE 0927-0-01 AND 02

#### NARRATIVE

ON 25 NOVEMBER 1967, LIEUTENANT COLONEL LEWIS H. ABRAMS AND FIRST LIEUTENANT ROBERT E. HOLDEMAN WERE THE CREW ABOARD AN A-6A ATTACK AIRCRAFT (SERIAL NUMBER 152612) ON A NIGHT STRIKE MISSION AGAINST THE KIEN AN AIRFIELD, HAI PHONG PROVINCE. WHEN THE AIRCRAFT DID NOT RETURN AS SCHEDULED, SEARCH AND RESCUE OPERATIONS WERE CONDUCTED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. BASED ON THE PROPOSED FLIGHT PATH, THE AIRCRAFT MAY HAVE CRASHED IN THE GENERAL VICINITY OF GRID COORDINATES XH560950, APPROXIMATELY 15 KILOMETERS SOUTHWEST OF KIEN AN, HAI PHONG PROVINCE. ON 27 NOVEMBER 1967, A PEKING RADIO SHORT WAVE BROADCAST REPORTED THAT A MARINE INTRUDER (A-6A) WAS SHOT DOWN IN THE VICINITY OF HAI PHONG. THE REPORT MADE NO MENTION OF THE CREW.

ON 6 APRIL 1988, THE VIETNAMESE GOVERNMENT REPATRIATED IN BOX 30 REMAINS WITH THE NAME ASSOCIATION OF "BROWN HAZEL" ALONG WITH A BADLY MUTILATED MILITARY IDENTIFICATION CARD. THE REMAINS WERE INSUFFICIENT FOR IDENTIFICATION BUT THE IDENTIFICATION CARD HAS BEEN CORRELATED TO LIEUTENANT COLONEL ABRAMS. THE REMAINS AND IDENTIFICATION CARD WERE REPORTEDLY FOUND IN BAC HA, HAI PHONG.

### PERTINENT DATA ARE AS FOLLOWS:

NAME: ABRAMS, LEWIS HERBERT

RANK: LIEUTENANT COLONEL, U.S. MARINE CORPS

DATE OF BIRTH: 17 AUGUST 1929

RACE: CAUCASIAN

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HEIGHT: 1.80 METERS

WEIGHT: 83.8 KILOGRAMS

HAIR: BROWN

EYES: HAZEL

NAME: HOLDEMAN, ROBERT EUGENE

RANK: FIRST LIEUTENANT, U.S. MARINE CORPS

DATE OF BIRTH: 30 OCTOBER 1931

RACE: CAUCASIAN

HEIGHT: 1.77 METERS

WEIGHT: 74.7 KILOGRAMS

HAIR: BROWN

EYES: HAZEL



# JOINT TASK FORCE - FULL ACCOUNTING BOX 64044 CAMP H. M. SMITH, HAWAII 96861-4044

Vụ số 0927-0-01 và 02

Tờ Tường Thuật

Vào ngày 25 tháng 11 năm 1967, Trung tá LEWIS H. ABRAMS và Trung uý ROBERT E. HOLDEMAN là phí công trên máy bay oanh tạc A-6A (số hiệu 152612) làm nhiệm vụ tấn công ban đềm chống sân bay Kiên An, tỉnh Hai Phong. Khi máy bay không về như du định, sự tìm kiếm và cấp cứu được tiến hành và không có kết quả tốt. Căn cứ vào đường bay để nghị, máy bay có thể rơi xuống ở phạm vị của toạ độ XH560950, khoảng 15 cây số ở phía tây nam của Kiên An, tỉnh Hai Phong. Vào ngày 27 tháng 11 năm 1967, thông báo sóng ngắn Peking báo là một "Intruder" lình thủy đánh bộ (A-6A) bị bắn rơi ở phạm vị tỉnh Hai Phong. Thông báo này không nói gì về phí công.

Vào ngày 6 tháng 4 năm 1988, chính phủ Việt Nam hồi hướng vào hộp 30 hài cốt với sự liên quan tên của "Nâu Nâu đỏ" mang theo với một thẻ căn cước cắt xấu. Hài cốt là không đủ để đồng nhất hoá nhưng mà thẻ căn cước liên hệ với Trung tá ABRAMS. Hài cốt này và thẻ căn cước được phát hiện ở Bac Ha, Hai Phong.

Những chi tiết liên quan sau đây:

Họ và tên: ABRAMS, LEWIS HERBERT

Cấp bậc: Trung tá, Bình chủng lình thủy đánh bộ Mỹ

Ngày sinh: 17/08/1929

Chung tộc: Da trăng

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Chiều cao: 1.80 mét

Cân nặng: 83.8 kí

Nâu Màu tác:

Nâu đỏ Màu mắt:

Họ và tên: HOLDEMAN, ROBERT EUGENE

Trung uý, Bình chủng lình thủy đánh bộ Cấp bậc:

Ngày sinh: 30/10/1931

Chúng tộc: Da trắng

Chiều cao: 1.77 mét

Cân nặng: 74.7 kí

Màu tóc: Nâu

Màu mắt: Nâu đỏ

# JOINT TASK FORCE - FULL ACCOUNTING BIOGRAPHIC/SITE REPORT AS OF 18 AUGUST 1993

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